

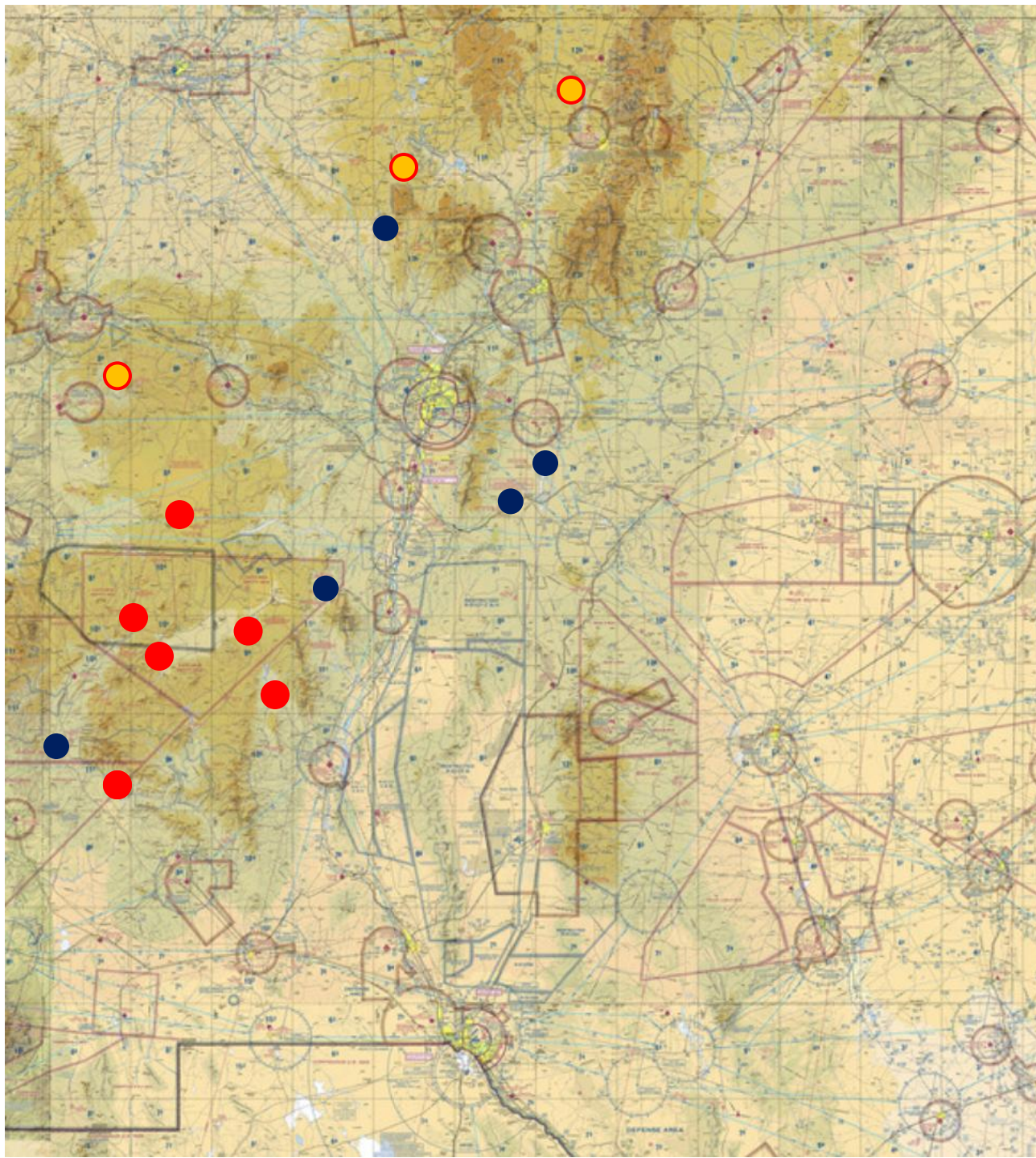
Information sources, flying New
Mexico back country airstrips

CONSIDERATIONS FOR BACK-COUNTRY FLYING IN NEW MEXICO

- Density altitude
- Forest fire season
- Hunting season
- Wilderness areas
- MOAs
- Weather
 - Today. Tomorrow. YESTERDAY.
- Runway conditions



For visibility see [windy.com](https://www.windy.com)



- Practice airstrips: 5
- Open by invitation: 3
- Always open*: 6

Magdalena: N29, Elev. 6729, Length 5762

- September breakfast fly-in
- *Pilots welcome any time*



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Always open*

- Negrito
- Rainy Mesa
- Beaverhead
- Me-Own
- Sacaton

- Jewett Mesa
- Double Circle, AZ

***NOT USFS
MAINTAINED**

Courtesy call to the
USFS dispatcher
first at 800-538-1644
-Condition
-Operations

Three Slow-Flight Passes

- High Altitude Pass, 500-1000 AGL: Big picture
 - Wind
 - Runway slope
 - Touchdown point marker
 - Parking area
 - Approach obstructions
 - *Departure and climb-out flight path*

Three Slow-Flight Passes

- Medium Altitude Pass, 50-100 AGL
 - Wind
 - Runway obstructions
 - Touchdown point
 - Rejected-landing point
 - Wildlife

Three Slow-Flight Passes

- Low Altitude Pass, 5-10 ft AGL:
 - Wind
 - Runway condition
 - Drag a tire?

Information sources

ESTANCIA MUNI (E92) 1 E UTC-7(-6DT) N34°45.80' W106°02.48'

ALBUQUERQUE

6100 NOTAM FILE ABQ

RWY 08-26: 4000X50 (GRVL)

RWY 26: Brush.

AIRPORT REMARKS: Unattended. Cattle and birds on and invof rwy. Rwy 08-26 soft when wet +2-3 ft brush in prim sft 50-70 ft fm cntrln both sides. Rwy 08 -1 ft culvert in prim sfc 200 ft fm thr 70 ft r of cntrln. +12 ft tree 134 ft fm thr 78 ft r cntrln. Rwy 26 +3-5 ft brush 0-200 ft fm thr 125 ft l and r of cntrln.

AIRPORT MANAGER: 505-401-3701

COMMUNICATIONS: CTAF 122.9

CLEARANCE DELIVERY PHONE: For CD ctc Albuquerque ARTCC at 505-856-4861.

The RAF www.airfield.guide

The screenshot displays the RAF website interface. The browser address bar shows the URL: <https://airfield.guide.theraf.org/map/airfield-details/002946cb-5f9e-4e73-a702-8db52d7c39d5/overview>. The left sidebar contains navigation options: SEARCH / MAP, ROUTES, FAVORITES, CONTENT PACKS, FOR LANDOWNERS, and ABOUT US. Below the sidebar is a 'Support the RAF' section with a 'DONATE' button. The main content area features a title 'NM99 — Murrow Field On The Divide' with a warning icon. Below the title is a photograph of a group of people gathered outdoors. Navigation tabs include 'OVERVIEW' (selected), 'AMENITIES', and 'RUNWAYS'. Action buttons for 'Print / PDF', 'Notices', 'Add to favorite', and 'Add to route' are visible. A note states: 'Runway(s) 7 has right traffic pattern.' The 'Airfield Information:' section is partially visible at the bottom. On the right, a satellite map shows the airfield location, with labels for 'Hwy 595' and '313'. A location pin identifies 'Murrow Field on the Divide'. A partial text box on the far right reads 'We va', 'We use', and '"Accep'.

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
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EVENTS www.nmpilots.org

The screenshot shows the homepage of the New Mexico Pilots Association website. The header features the NMPA logo and a navigation menu with links for JOIN, ABOUT US, SAFETY, BACKCOUNTRY, ADVOCACY, FLY NM, GALLERY, FORUMS, and EVENTS. The main content area is divided into three columns: 'UPCOMING EVENTS', 'ANNOUNCEMENTS', and a social media feed. The 'UPCOMING EVENTS' column lists several events from July to September. The 'ANNOUNCEMENTS' column contains three recent posts about a new campground, Gila Regional Fly-in registration, and a closed reserve airport. The social media feed shows a Facebook post from the New Mexico Pilots Association with 391 likes, mentioning recent rains and a spring fall.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- JUL 27** **EAA AirVenture 2021 - Fly New Mexico's History and Wilds!**
Join NMPA at the World's Greatest Aviation Celebration...
- AUG 7** **Mystic Bluffs Fly In (NM56)**
HOLD THE DATE! Watch for updates on camping and regist...
- AUG 21** **Magdalena Fly-in**
Come to the Magdalena Fly-in and NMPA Board meeting
- SEP 10-12** **Gila Regional Fly-In, September 10-12, 2021 at Reserve Airport(T16)**
Join us for NMPA's premier backcountry fly-in. Plans are to ...
- SEP 17-19** **NMPA Back Country Flying Clinic**
Registration Required. Saturday morning for class work dis...
- SEP 24-26** **NMPA Mountain Flying Clinic - September 24, 2021**
The NMPA Mountain Flying Clinic consists of an eight hour...
- SEP 25** **EAA 179's Land of Enchantment Fly In 2021**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Gwynn Tank Campground is Open**
A new campground just opened that is about 1/2 mile by air from Negrito Airstrip. Normal operations should not cause any noise issues, but if you depart on runway 03, please try to be noise aware.
<https://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/gila/news-events/?cid=FSEPRD933857>
Jul 22, 2021
- Gila Regional Fly-in Registration Now OPEN**
For any of you that received a website generated email about the Gila Fly-in cancellation, please disregard. That was for the 2019 event and was an administrative error. The Registration for the 2021 event is now open.
Jul 22, 2021
- Reserve Airport Closed**
The Reserve Airport(T16) is closed by NOTAM for a runway lighting project. The legacy lights are being upgraded to

Social Media Feed:

- New Mexico Pilots Association (391 likes)
Like Page Share
- New Mexico Pilots Association (last Tuesday)
The recent rains has revived Chamisa Vega Spring Falls, a few miles west of NM550, south of Cuba, NM. This is what it looked like last Saturday, July 17. If it rains hard at night, go check it the next morning. Latitude 35.676263, Longitude -106.941174.